GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

YOUTH SERVICES & SPORTS – Access to games and sports facilities to the disabled children – Certain instructions / Orders – Issued.

YOUTH ADVANCEMENT, TOURISM & CULTURE (SPORTS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 108

Dated:08-09-2011 Read the following:-

Minutes of the meeting held in the chambers of Principal Secretary, WD, CW & DW on 17-12-2009 on sports for Disabled persons.

ORDER:

In the meeting convened on 17-12-2009 by the Principal Secretary, Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare with the officials of the Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare Department, Managing Director, Sports Authority of Andhra Pradesh and certain related NGO's, it has been resolved to provide access to games and sports facilities to the disabled children and accordingly made certain proposals in this regard for approval of the government.

- 2. The government after careful consideration of the proposals, hereby order as follows:
 - i) The sports facilities i.e., Stadia etc., with Sports Authority of Andhra Pradesh and those created by the District Administration under various programmes be made available without charges / free to the disabled children in that area / district.
 - ii) The District Collector shall allot two hours every day exclusively for disabled students in all stadia taking into consideration the local situation.
 - iii) Two hours shall be earmarked for disabled children in every facility to be created under Panchayat Yova Krida Aur Khel Abhiyan (PYKKA).
 - iv) The existing facilities shall be strengthened in the stadia to make them disabled friendly.
 - v) Where ever sufficient coaches are not available, the facility will be made available by the NGS's / Institutions concerned to provide trained coaches at least twice a week and take the responsibility of ensuring the proper safety of the children.
 - vi) Risky sporting activities such as swimming shall be undertaken with utmost care only withy the safety of such children could be ensured on a one to one basis i.e., there being a coach for every disabled child. Or else it need not be undertaken.
 - vii) The Managing Director, Sports Authority of Andhra Pradesh shall coordinate with the authorities concerned in providing required training to all the Coaches, Trainers, Physical Directors, PETs of various institutions, Kreedasrees trainers under Panchayat Yova Krida Aur Khel Abhiyan (PYKKA).

- viii) Atleast 15% of seats in Sports Schools at Hyderabad shall be earmarked or provided to best among the disabled athletes.
- ix) The normal rule of reservation shall be followed without any deviations in the admissions.
- x) The Managing Director, Sports Authority of Andhra Pradesh shall take further action by mobilizing / utilizing funds from State and Government of India etc.
- 3. All the concerned are requested to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. S.CHELLAPPA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Vice Chairman and Managing Director,
Sports Authority of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
All the District Collectors.
The Director, A.P. Sports School,
Hkimpet, Secunderabad.
Copy to:
The Women Development,
Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare Department.
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